

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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In re Application of:

Toshio ARIYASU et al

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Examiner: C. M. Kaufman

Washington, D.C.

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NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER
TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

Honorable Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the final rejection (or the rejection of claims for at least the second time), dated August 6, 2002, of the Primary Examiner.

The item(s) checked below are appropriate:

Small Entity Status: Applicant(s) claim small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.

XXXX The fee has been calculated as shown below:

XXXX \$320.00

 \$160.00 (small entity)

 Not required (fee paid in prior appeal)

**** Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time in accordance with 37 CFR 1.136(a). The appropriate fee required by 37 CFR 1.17 is calculated as shown below:

Small Entity
Response Filed Within
[] First - \$ 55.00
[] Second - \$205.00
[] Third - \$465.00
[] Fourth - \$725.00
month after time period set

Other Than Small Entity
Response Filed Within
[] First - \$ 110.00
[] Second - \$ 410.00
[] Third - \$ 930.00
[] Fourth - \$1450.00
month after time period set

**** Second month extension of time petitioned and fee paid on even date herewith.

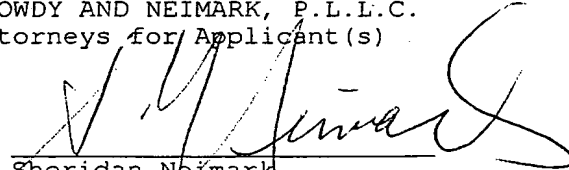
 A check in the amount of \$ is attached. (Check No.)

XXXX Credit Card Payment Form, PTO-2038, is attached, authorizing the amount of \$320.00.

XXX Please charge any deficit in the fee paid herewith to my Deposit Account No. 02-4035.

Respectfully submitted,
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